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Sir:

In accordance with 35 U.S.C. §254, we attach hereto Form PTO/SB/44 and a copy of proof of PTO's error and request that a Certificate of Correction be issued in the above-identified patent. The following error appears in the patent as printed:

Face of the Patent, See Item (57) ABSTRACT, Line 5, "C2m2J-2" should read

(See the substitute Abstract submitted with the Preliminary Amendment dated April 28, 2000.)

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Face of the Patent, See Item (57) ABSTRACT, Line 5, " $C^2m^2J^{-2}$ " should read --  $C^2m^2J^{-1}$  --

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### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the aboveidentified patent application as follows.

## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

After the title, insert

### CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application is a continuation (CPA) of parent Application Serial No. 09/038,230 filed March 11, 1998.--.

### IN THE ABSTRACT:

Attached hereto is a substitute Abstract enclosed as a separate page.

### REMARKS

This application is a continuation (CPA) of parent Application Serial No. 09/038,230 filed March 11, 1998. A new Abstract is submitted herewith.

Examination and allowance of pending claim 1 is respectfully requested.

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### ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An inorganic compound sol comprises a dispersion medium and, dispersed therein, inorganic compound particulates whose surface has been modified by an organic compound exhibiting a molecular polarizability of from 2 x  $10^{-40}$  to 850 x  $10^{-40}$  C<sup>2</sup>m<sup>2</sup>J<sup>-1</sup>. The inorganic compound sol modified by an organic compound possesses a desirable affinity with the dispersion media, providing excellent dispersion stability in solvents while avoiding aggregation of particulates.

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